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Sir:

The attention of the Examiner is invited to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08. Copies of the non-patent literature documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08 are submitted herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the information above be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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This Information Disclosure Statement is being after issuance of the first action on the merits of the above-captioned application. Authorization is hereby given to charge the statutory fee of \$180 to counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2387, referencing docket number 18528.230.

Respectfully submitted,

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